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In re patent application of:

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Title: OBJECT-ORIENTED PULL MODEL XML PARSER

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REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION DATED APRIL 24, 2006

Dear Sir:

Favorable reconsideration of the above-identified patent application is respectfully requested in view of the amendments and comments below.